

THAW READY  
FOR RESULT

In Case Commission is Appointed He Will Submit

IS FEELING CONFIDENT

His Attorneys Have Finished Their Affidavits and Will Thus Submit Their Side if Justice Fitzgerald Does Not Demand More.

New York, March 25.—All Thaw's attorneys today said that excepting a brief affidavit they had nothing further to offer regarding the sanity of their client, unless Justice Fitzgerald demands more affidavits. Lawyer Hartbridge has prepared a brief dealing merely with the legal features of the present proceedings. It is known that Jerome has prepared a long statement, but no inkling is given as to its contents. Attorneys Delmas, O'Reilly and Peabody were early callers at the Tombs today. Delmas said with his client for nearly an hour.

Thaw, it was learned today, got busy on the preparation of a statement. Thaw is said to have changed his mind about refusing to appear before a possible lunacy commission. He is so confident that the commission will find him sane that he is now willing to submit to any reasonable demand.

Mr. Delmas in his affidavit introduced Saturday declares it to be his opinion that Thaw has been and is capable of understanding the nature of the proceedings going on against him and of conducting his defense in a rational manner, and that throughout the trial he has understood the nature and object of such proceedings, has comprehended his own condition in reference thereto, and has conducted his defense in a rational manner. This opinion, the affidavit says, is based upon the professional relations Mr. Delmas has had with the prisoner since the beginning of the trial and the many communications he has sent to Thaw and received from him.

Eighteen letters received by Mr. Delmas from Thaw in the course of the trial and several slips of paper containing suggestions with reference to the conduct of the proceedings actually going on, which were handed him by Thaw in the court room, are made a part of the affidavit.

Letters attached to the affidavit contain numerous suggestions concerning the conduct of the case. In one instance Mr. Delmas is requested to generally conduct the examination of all witnesses. In a letter sent in the course of the examination of Mrs. Thaw, the prisoner said:

"My wife's strength is ebbing. She cannot recuperate until after the cross-examination. I would be very grateful if she broke down and her testimony was stricken out. Her condition of nervousness and sadness is grave. Cannot Dr. Evans be kept back?"

Another letter from Thaw to Mr. Delmas reads:

"Please arrange for Mr. Carroll Beckwith's testimony. Mr. Peabody has a brief thereof. We do not wish Jerome to further attack Mrs. Thaw in his rebuttal. The further facts proved by Mr. Beckwith and the superior impression he will produce may discourage Jerome from attacking Mrs. Thaw.

Mr. Beckwith is one of the artists for whom Mrs. Thaw once posed.

In another letter Thaw declares that he knows a respectable young married woman residing in Wisconsin who was willing to come on and testify that "S. W." uttered her to his studio and mistreated her.

Exhibit "H" attached to Mr. Delmas' affidavit, is a note from Thaw in which he says:

"Dear Mr. Delmas—This is only to congratulate you on your recent successes. Your first long objection was, of course, obvious. I am glad to come wonderfully by your reference to a new planet, into shaking his head as you wished and so concluding perfectly. The second long one, against a new production of evidence in chief by the prosecution, was pronounced on a very powerful and high point. I am glad to be used as to the sexual perversion that Jerome urged. I was not excited against White by any such, according to our evidence. Mrs. H. K. Thaw in her testimony could not have said that the Thomas woman is dead. Thomas was a fraudulent name. The woman herself is alive and I hear now is trying to escape her horrid associations. Very sincerely yours, "H. K. Thaw."

THAW DENIES REPORT OF THE DISSENSIONS

Also Refers to His Sanity Affidavits Which Have Been Prepared for the Court.

New York, March 25.—Harry K. Thaw last night made public another statement, this time denying a rumor which he believes is current, that there is a dissension among his counsel. He also refers to the affidavits filed with Justice Fitzgerald, by his attorneys, opposing the appointment of a lunacy commission to examine him.

A. Russell Peabody, who gave the matter to the press after he had a conference with other members of Thaw's counsel, designated it as:

"The third statement issued by Thaw since August 10 last."

It follows:

"I wish to deny the rumor that there is dissension among my counsel.

"Owing to the limited time, affidavits were prepared simultaneously at the office of Mr. Delmas and of Messrs. Hartbridge and Peabody. Four that were completed March 22 at the latter office were transmitted to the former, and all of that date were printed together under Mr. Delmas' supervision.

"Those made March 23 were brought to me, as I was nearest the court.

"I examined the last four from Messrs.

Hartbridge and Peabody and one from Mr. Delmas' office and found them eminently satisfactory.

"This method was sanctioned by Mr. Delmas. Had I considered that anything in these last affidavits might be considered inappropriate for this occasion they would have been withdrawn from the time and corrected under Mr. Delmas' direction.

"My mother sent her exceedingly clear affidavit Friday morning to be copied at the office of Messrs. Hartbridge and Peabody and proceeded later to affix her signature under oath.

"It was written by her at her hotel with no suggestions from anyone whomsoever and is filed exactly as she prepared it.

The monotony of Thaw's Sunday at the Tombs was broken by an unexpected visit from his wife. This was the first time since his detention that the prisoner was allowed to receive callers other than his counsel on Sunday. Mrs. Thaw had come to the Tombs with a message for her husband and was greatly surprised when told that she might visit him. The two were together for half an hour, and when Mrs. Thaw left she said:

"Harry is in excellent health and is sure that everything will come out in his favor."

The prisoner's attorneys did not visit him yesterday. During the afternoon, which he devoted chiefly to correspondence, Thaw received a note from lawyer Daniel O'Reilly, explaining that none of the legal staff would call during the day, and that Mr. Hartbridge and O'Reilly would be busily engaged in preparing briefs to be presented to Justice Fitzgerald today.

## FOUR KILLED IN COLLISION.

Special Train Meets The Limited on Santa Fe.

Los Angeles, Cal., March 25.—A special train on the Santa Fe railway, carrying scores of students home from an intercollegiate field meet at Claremont, collided head-on with the out-bound limited train while both trains were moving at a rapid rate, within the city limits Saturday night.

Four persons were killed and 117 injured, several of them probably fatally. Both locomotives, one of the baggage car and the limited train, were demolished on the special train were demolished.

The dead:

C. G. Franklin, student at university of South Carolina.

A. H. Edwards.

Kelly, C. G. Gall.

Fred Hogen, all students at Occidental college.

Several of the injured are in a critical condition and it is feared that two may die. Railroad officials say the accident was due to the disobedience of orders on the part of the Engineer Kelly on the limited train. Kelly has admitted that he received written orders to stop at a tower 200 yards before reaching the scene of the collision. The engineer explained that he "had not had time to read his orders before pulling out of the station."

## A DOUBLE TRAGEDY.

At Jersey City Last Night—Man and Wife Dead.

Jersey City, N. J., March 25.—August Lindblad, 42 years old, shot and killed his wife, Lena, 40 years old, and then killed himself last night at their home. The bodies were found by a niece of the couple, who reached home in the evening. She found the house dark and stumbled over the bodies. A daughter of the couple, 13 years old, was spending the evening with friends.

Lindblad was Swiss. He was a watchmaker and was formerly employed at the Standard watch factory. Six months ago he was committed to the Hudson county asylum for the insane. He was released two weeks ago. He had suffered from delusions that his wife was infatuated with some other man.

## 55 DEGREES IN WASHINGTON.

Hot Wave Gradually Broken—Summer Weather Will Remain South.

Washington, March 25.—The weather bureau last night announced that the hot wave has been broken in the east though the summer-like weather will continue in the South and Southwest for several days. According to official advice received at the weather bureau it was snowing yesterday in Albany, N. Y., and in many parts of New England. The highest points reached by the thermometer here yesterday were 55 degrees at three o'clock in the afternoon but dropped to 35 degrees. For Frankfort, Ky., the bureau predicts that there will be now several weeks of cool weather.

## BOY HANGED HIMSELF.

Bright Lad of Nine Takes His Life—No Cause Known.

Albany, N. Y., March 25.—Howard Shuter, aged nine, one of the brightest scholars in the district school at Selkirk, about 10 miles from this city, committed suicide yesterday. The little fellow was found hanging from a rafter in the barn of Charles Niver, the discovery being made by the boy's father, who is employed on the Niver farm. Howard had been playing around the neighborhood during the day and was apparently in the best of spirits. Members of his family are at a loss to account for the boy's determination to take his life.

## CONFER WITH PRESIDENT.

Cortelyou and Timothy Woodruff at the White House.

Washington, March 25.—Secretary of the Treasury Cortelyou and Timothy Woodruff of New York, chairman of the Republican state committee of New York, were in conference with President Roosevelt at the White House for more than two hours last night. Mr. Woodruff said the conference related to the presidential campaign for 1908, but that candidates were not discussed.

## THINK THEY HAVE BOY.

Missing Son of Dr. Marvin Reported Found in Chicago.

Chicago, Ill., March 25.—It is reported that the missing son of Dr. Horace Marvin of Dover, Del., has been found in this city.

WANT TO FIND  
THE CAPTAIN

Who Was Proprietor of Portland "Salve Factory"

MUCH POWDER WAS FOUND

Police Unearth 250 Pounds of Explosive and Are Now Trying to Run Down Capt. T. M. Block, Retired, British Army Officer.

Portland, Me., March 25.—Captain T. M. Block, alias Dr. Mazarine, in whose alleged "salve factory" 250 pounds of powder were found yesterday, has disappeared and a warrant is out for his arrest. For some time the police have suspected that he had not as it should be in Blocks establishment, and the fact that a hotel was located next door to them finally led to an investigation. Block declares that he had only a pound or two of powder, but the police have evidence that he manufactured it on the premises. Block claims to be a retired British army officer. He and his wife occupied luxurious apartments at the "Lafayette" hotel.

## EXPORTATION OF MEATS.

Valued at More Than \$250,000,000 for the Past Year—Great Increase.

Washington, D. C., March 25.—The total exportations of meat, dairy products and food animals from the United States last year aggregated over \$250,000,000 in value according to a statement issued yesterday by the bureau of statistics of the department of commerce and labor. This represents an increase of \$75,000,000 or 45 per cent during the decade 1896 to 1906. More than 60 per cent of the last year's exports went to the United Kingdom. Even this large percentage, however, is less than that of a decade ago, when Great Britain took over 70 per cent of American exports. Of the \$250,000,000 worth of meats, dairy products and food animals passing out of the United States last year \$40,000,000 was in live animals; \$58,000,000 worth in lamb; \$36,000,000 in bacon; \$25,000,000 in fresh beef; \$21,000,000 in hams; \$18,000,000 in oiled margarine; \$14,000,000 in pork other than bacon and hams; \$4,500,000 in butter and \$2,500,000 in cheese.

## NEGRO SHOT UP AFTER BEING TIED

Was Identified by Woman He Attempted to Assault—Affray at Florence, Alabama.

Florence, Ala., March 25.—Cleveland Harding, the negro who attempted to assault Mrs. Ben F. Rice, near here Friday and who was driven off by Mrs. Rice's shepherd dog, was lynched yesterday by a mob of 200 or 300 persons. After having been tied to a tree with his arms up, the negro was riddled with bullets. The first shot, it is said, was fired by Rice, following which every other man in the crowd emptied his revolver at the prisoner. Over 1,000 shots were fired.

Harding was taken a short distance from the Rice home where a conference of the mob leaders was held. Some favored burning him, but shooting was decided on. Beyond confessing his guilt, the negro had nothing to say and seemed indifferent to his fate. His body was left tied to the tree by the mob, the members of which made no attempt to shield their identity. The sheriff overtook the crowd before the lynching, but his appeals were unavailing.

## NATIVE OF THETFORD.

Nathan Page Powers Died in Manchester, N. H., Yesterday.

Manchester, N. H., March 25.—Nathan Page Powers died yesterday morning at 11 o'clock at the home, 981 Valley street. He was a native of Thetford, Vt., and had been a resident of this city for twenty years. He was a gardener. The survivors are his widow, Mary A. Powers, and one sister, Mrs. Rhoda Waterman of Norwich, Vt. He was an attendant at the Merrimack street Baptist church. He had been sick for last two weeks.

## Leaves Daughter in Graniteville.

Manchester, N. H., March 25.—The death of Ronald Pepin of 451 Main street occurred yesterday morning at his home, aged 51 years, 1 month and 15 days. Mr. Pepin was born in St. Pierre les Besquets, P. Q., but had resided in Manchester for over thirty years. He possessed a large number of friends. Those who survive him are eight daughters: Sister Thairille Pepin of the Gray Nuns of St. Hyacinthe, P. Q.; Mrs. Frank Lefebvre of St. Menard de Warwick, P. Q.; Mrs. Jeffrey Brousseau, Mrs. Arthur Lebel of East Wear, Mrs. Thomas Gagne of Graniteville, Vt.; Mrs. Melvior Laroche, Pepin all of Manchester; also two brothers, Orinda and Eustace Pepin of St. Pierre les Besquets, P. Q.

## AT ADVANCED AGE.

Mrs. Cherry S. Stafford Died in St. Albans Today.

St. Albans, March 25.—Mrs. Cherry S. Stafford died at 8 o'clock this morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Donald Dutcher, at the age of nearly 95 years. Mrs. Stafford was considered one of the best educated women in the city and had kept up her studies to the last. She was graduated from the Emma Willard seminary at Troy, N. Y., and learned German after she was 70 years of age. She is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Mason Marshall, Mrs. Harry S. Lewis and Mrs. Donald Dutcher.

## THREW LEMONS.

St. Albans Boys Were Indiscreet at Dog Show.

St. Albans, March 25.—Following a disturbance in Vaughn's opera house Saturday evening, when Linn's dog circus was giving an exhibition, Chief Mahoney placed under arrest Arthur Foran, Ernest Hill, M. F. Ryan, Fred Walker and Bert Rich. These boys, evidently out for a good time, as they viewed it, occupied a box from which vantage point they threw several lemons at the actors. Mr. Linn put up with the insults until he lost his temper, when he pulled one of the boys out of the box and punched him. Linn was arrested with the others and all were arraigned in city court before Judge Post and placed under \$50 bonds for appearance for trial on Tuesday afternoon. Other arrests will also be made.

Charles Skinner, who got drunk Saturday and created a disturbance at Sweet's second-hand store, where he also tried to steal a coat, after driving the women clerks into the street, was arrested and locked up Saturday night, charged with intoxication. Patrick Maginn was run in Saturday night, charged with a drunk.

## CARRIED PASSENGERS BY MEANS OF BOAT

Flood at Brattleboro Causes Grave Apprehension—Ice Jammed Up in West River and Much of the Country Is Inundated.

Brattleboro, March 25.—The heat of the past two days has broken up the ice in West river and a great jam has been formed near Townshend. A large section of the country has been inundated and a section of the West river track, nearly a mile in length, near West Townshend, is covered with deep feet of water.

Several trains on the northern section of the track were held up at the flooded part of the line. The train which was due at the local station at 4 o'clock on Saturday afternoon, owing to the depth of water was unable to get across. A special train was sent up from the local station and the passengers were transported over the flooded part of the track in boats. In that way many of the passengers from train to train have been kept up ever since. When the jam breaks there is grave danger that the dam owned by the Twin State Gas & Electric company at its power station in West Dunsmuir will be carried away.

## DON'T EXPECT FLOOD.

Montpelier Hopes to Get Around It This Spring.

Montpelier, March 25.—A flood was feared somewhat yesterday, but as there was no rain during the day, the fears were not substantiated. Street Superintendent Clark Roberts, who is an expert on floods, now thinks there will be no trouble from high water in the river.

## A QUESTION OF RESIDENCE.

He Is a Rhode Islander and Not a Vermont.

Burlington, March 25.—George W. Sabra is declared by the United States court to be a citizen of Rhode Island, and inferentially entitled by residence to bring the action he has against the United Traction and Electric company, according to a decision handed down by Judge Brown.

The opinion is on the plea of the defendant corporation to jurisdiction, the claim having been set up by the defendant that the complainant was not a citizen of Rhode Island, because he lived for a part of the year in Vermont. The court says it is not improbable that the plaintiff should have decided to become a citizen of Rhode Island. The court finds that he was a citizen of Rhode Island at the time the bill was filed, and accordingly overrules the plea.

## Arthur Arnold Arrested.

Brattleboro, March 25.—State Attorney Robert C. Bacon of this town had Arthur Arnold of Westminster arrested Saturday on complaint of Mrs. Jennie B. Powers, humane agent, charging him with not properly caring for and feeding his cattle. A hearing will take place Friday before Justice Herbert D. Ryder in Bellows Falls.

## Patent for Ringless Curtain Pole.

St. Albans, March 25.—Harry Mallouin, a salesman in the carpet department of Richardson, Twigg and company's store, has been granted a patent for a ringless curtain pole.

## TALK OF THE TOWN.

Mr. and Mrs. William T. Mahoney of Norwich, Conn., formerly of this city, are the happy parents of a son, born March 18.

Lost.—A gold watch between Dr. J. Henry Jackson's and the Gordon clock. Saturday evening. Will the finder return to this office?

Domenica? Aprile dopporanno ruina. One dei veterani del lavoro in casa cardinale. Certe street arguments important.

The regular meeting of the N. Y. O. P. will be held Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. The degree team will meet at 6:30 for practice.

Among arrivals at the City hotel today are Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Brown, Burlington; W. F. Holmes, Springfield, Mass.; T. F. Barber and J. E. Davidson, Montpelier; C. G. Simpson, Nelson, B. C.

Considerable interest centered in the vicinity of Depot square this noon, when Herbert Leonard's six-horse team was having some difficulty in drawing a load of granite, owing to the condition of the street. At least a hundred people congregated in the neighborhood and the amount of advice given was sufficient to run at least one government. To add to the confusion an electric car came along at this time and was stalled, as the heavily loaded sled was across the track. Finally, by the aid of another team, the load was moved and the crowd dispersed.

BUY A PLACE  
FOR HOSPITAL

Barre City Hospital Association Takes Action

DEED ALREADY PASSED

Whereby William A. Perry Property, off Washington Street, Will Be Utilized at Once for Hospital Purposes.

The William A. Perry property on Spaulding and Washington streets, consisting of a large 18-room house and outbuildings and about two and a half acres of land, has been sold to F. G. Howland, trustee, for the proposed Barre city hospital, the price paid being \$10,000. The deeds were passed Saturday evening.

This is probably the best centrally located site for a hospital that could be found in Barre. It is right in the heart of the city, yet elevated and secluded, and there is land sufficient to allow of growth and expansion. It is easy of access from any part of the city and is located between the two branches of the street railway. The house is large and roomy and can, with a little expense in fitting up, be used as a hospital for some time to come.

Another meeting of the hospital association will be held on Wednesday evening to take the next steps necessary towards making a beginning.

This property is sometimes referred to as the Spaulding house, as it was erected by Jacob Spaulding, principal of the old Barre academy, about 1855, and occupied by him as a home until his death. William A. Perry bought it of the Spaulding estate and it has been his home since.

## HALF IN VERMONT, HALF IN NEW YORK

Couple Were Married in a Unique Manner Yesterday—Two Ministers Officiating at the Ceremony.

Whitehall, N. Y., March 25.—Joseph Chalmers and Emily Norton early Sunday morning at East Bay, near here, became man and wife while standing in an open field directly on the line separating New York state from Vermont, the groom taking his position behind the bride, while the two clergymen, one a New York state minister and the other a Vermont, read the ceremony and pronounced the words which made them one.

The contracting parties sought to be married in a novel way, by the groom taking a position on the New York side of the line with the bride standing on the Vermont side, their hands clasped and reaching from state to state, but as neither a New York minister could perform a legal marriage ceremony in Vermont state and the same rule applies to a Vermont minister in this state it was necessary in order to carry out the plans of both parties of the proposed marriage to stand directly and accurately on the state line.

Hence with one-half of each person in this state and the other half in Vermont the two clergymen, Rev. Mr. Newell of Brimstone Corners, Vt., and Rev. J. C. Irving of Wrights, N. Y., united the couple.

## RACERS BURNED.

Eleven Horses Killed in New York Fire Yesterday.

New York, March 25.—Eleven race horses were burned to death in a fire which destroyed three buildings at the Sheepshead Bay race track yesterday.

Among the horses destroyed were Fine Cloth, Lady Prudence, Sir William Johnson and the Star of the Ocean. The horses were all in the stable of Thomas Watt.

## WOULD RUN BASEBALL.

Montpelier Men Said to Be Willing to Take It on Their Own Hands.

Ed. Meigs and several other Montpelier men are said to stand ready to run baseball on their own hook as a business proposition; if the intercity management doesn't care to take up the work this summer, provided the New Hampshire state league admits them to the field.

## BROKE THE PLEDGE.

Montpelier Man Will Have to Take a Double Dose.

Montpelier, March 25.—"Heenan" Bowers, who took the pledge in city court a week ago after being found guilty of intoxication, was arrested this morning on a similar charge. For breaking the pledge he will have to serve fifteen days on top of the fifteen days for the new offense of intoxication.

## EAST MONTPELIER.

Mrs. John Bond and Mrs. Joe Bero drove to Barre last Saturday.

Miss Lucy Batchelder, who has been very ill several weeks, is now able to ride out a short distance.

E. B. Archuckle and family were in Barre visiting relatives Saturday.

There has been much sickness in the family of Barney Abair, the former resident here, has been ill with the prevailing distemper, and is now in poor health, which many friends here hope will soon be much improved.

Joe Comi, who has been ill all the winter, is going to Italy soon to join his family.

## HIRAM STAFFORD MARTIN.

Elderly Resident of The City Died Yesterday From a General Breaking Down.

One of the oldest residents of the city, Hiram Stafford Martin, died yesterday at his home, corner of South Main and Prospect streets, after a long illness. He had been ill for 15 years, because of a general breaking down of health incident to old age, and during the past six or eight years had been more or less of an invalid. He had been failing steadily and about a month ago, on his eightieth birthday, his condition showed a marked change for the worse. The end came yesterday morning at seven o'clock.

Mr. Martin was the son of Minot Martin and was born in Williamstown on February 19, 1827. His early life to young manhood was spent in that town, and at the age of 22 he moved to the Martin farm in the town of Barre, where he continued to reside until 22 years ago when he erected the house at the corner of Main and Prospect streets and moved here. At the age of 22 years he was married to Jennie Mower, and their married life would have covered a period of 55 years had Mr. Martin lived until next month. Mrs. Martin and their three children survive him. The latter are Mrs. Lizzie Robinson of this city, C. V. Martin of Boston and Frank Martin, who resides on the home farm in Barre town. The deceased also leaves one sister, Mrs. Aurelia Edson of Williams town, and two brothers, Enoch Martin of Washington and Alden Martin of Williamstown, and four grandchildren.

Mr. Martin preferred not to take any public office. He was, however, an ardent citizen of the town. While never a member of the Universalist church he took much interest in its society and always identified with its interests. The funeral will be held from the Martin home tomorrow afternoon at two o'clock, the Rev. C. C. Conner being the officiating clergyman. The interment will be in Hope cemetery.

## THIEF LEFT CENT IN MONEY DRAWER

Office of Martin W. Wheelock in Montpelier Entered Last Night and a Small Swag Taken.

Montpelier, March 25.—The thief who broke in the office of Martin W. Wheelock, real estate agent, sometime last night, had a good deal of trouble for the money he got out of it. The swag amounted to about two dollars in small change. The thief left one cent in the money drawer.

## BREACH OF THE PEACE CASES.

The peace is getting fractured every day," remarked the grand juror when he walked into court this morning to take up the third breach of the peace case since last report. Guy Thompson was the respondent. He was arrested Saturday night by patrolmen and another man were attempting to settle a dispute with their fists for arguments. While the patrolman was laying hands on Thompson, the other fighter made a dash for it and fled so that the officers think he has broken the peace and was fined \$5, with costs of \$7.50.

## FIFTEENTH ANNIVERSARY.

Occasion for Surprise to Mr. and Mrs. Keith of South Main Street.

A very pleasant evening was enjoyed by about 40 of the friends of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Keith, South Main street, Saturday evening, the occasion marking the fifteenth year of their married life. James Anderson, on behalf of invited guests, presented Mr. Keith a solid gold watch chain with pendant attached. Mrs. Keith was presented a set of beautiful silver knives and forks and their little daughter, Aggie, was the recipient of a handsome gold bracelet. With song and story, a few pleasant hours were quickly brought to a too early termination, all present wishing the happy couple long life and prosperity. A feature of the evening was the singing of the "Brook Co. quartette."

## FELL INTO CISTERN.

Mrs. Hattie C. Sherburne Helped Out by Daughter.

Mrs. Hattie C. Sherburne met with an accident yesterday which might easily have resulted more seriously. Mrs. Sherburne went to the cellar for some purpose and stepping upon the board covering of the cistern, which gave way under her weight, she was precipitated in several feet of icy water. She was unable to extricate herself until the arrival of her daughter, with whose assistance she got out. Although suffering somewhat from the shock Mrs. Sherburne's condition today is not serious and her recovery is expected in a day or two.

## PLEA FOR MARRIAGE ANNULMENT GRANTED.

The plea of Lena E. Grey of Orange, Mass., against Harold R. Grey, supposed to be of Northfield, for the annulment of her marriage, heard in the superior court at Springfield, Mass., will be granted. The petitioner was Lena E. Pope of Orange, and was married to Grey January 2, 1905, after a short acquaintance. It soon appeared that Grey had a wife, who was Effie H. Gould, whom he married at Montpelier in May, 1903. Mrs. Grey no. 2 made the discovery of the first marriage in Pitts bury, Mass. The records were read in court from Mrs. Grey no. 1 to the effect that she had let Grey have considerable money which she had earned. She was in Orange with Grey previous to his second marriage, and left only eight days previous to the second marriage. The petitioner gave her age as 20 years.

## SUGARING-OFF FOR SHIRINERS.

A sugaring-off for the Shiriners of the city will be held at the orchard of F. C. Little tomorrow, and the members are requested to meet at eleven o'clock in the forenoon.

SOME BOTTLES  
AND A BARREL

All Containing Liquor Were Seized in a Raid

ON SATURDAY EVENING

G. Guiduli Was Arrested as Being the Owner of the Stuff, and His Case Will Come Up for Trial Tomorrow.

While waiting to learn if Barre is to go "wet" or "dry" the coming year, the authorities are keeping busy trying to make it a "dry" city up to May 1, as the citizens voted one year ago. Their activity took the form of a raid for liquor Saturday night, turning a place on North Main street, which is sometimes designated "The Dead Rat," after the fashion of a popular place in Paris, was the destination. Deputy Sheriff H. D. Camp held the warrant, which had been issued by grand juror Davis, and was assisted by the following officers: Faulkner, Hamel, Carter, Jewett, Miller and Gamble. The time was between eight and nine.

The officers found five dozen bottles of Rosier's beer, two barrels with a little wine in each, one full barrel of wine and four empty bottles which had been used fast beer. Several more bottles of beer and the full barrel of wine, the officers made an inventory of the rest. When they started to roll out the barrel of wine, one female member of the company found in the house laid protesting for some reason and declared that they shouldn't take that barrel. Hamel, however, the woman was gently thrust aside, however, and the woman's claim to ownership was overruled.

One, G. Guiduli, was picked out to be the owner of the liquid, and he was taken to the police station. Guiduli was a respondent in the Judge Scott case last night, and his case was put until tomorrow morning for preliminary hearing. The grand juror represented the state, and the respondent was unrepresented. Bail of \$500 for his appearance in court tomorrow was furnished by Mrs. Sanguinetti.

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In another affair, two men were before Judge Scott Saturday afternoon. They were Mr. Wheelock's telephone company, and the sum total is not over two dollars. There was a ten-cent piece folded in a slip of paper Sunday night, and the thief took out the money and folded the paper again. The safe door was not locked and it is not thought that there was any disturbance of the contents of that. If there was, nothing was secured as there was nothing in it but some papers which would not be valuable to anyone but Mr. Wheelock.